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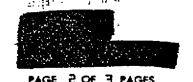
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TALLIES OF CIVILIAN DEATHS WHICH HAVE OCCURRED DURING THE 11 SEPTEMBER 1973 C O U P DIETATANDT H E SUBSEQUENT C L E A N U P OPERATIONS AREINACCURATE, SINCE THEY REFLECT ONLY THE DEATHS OF PERSONS

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THENGIVEN DEATH CERTIFICATES. THE DEATHS OF THE GREAT HAJORITY OF PERSONSKILLED IN CLEANUP OPERATIONS A GAINSTEXTREMISTS. INCLUDING EXECUTIONS OF INDIVIDUALS BEARING ARMS A No RESISTING.

2. AN UNOFFICIAL SYSTEM OF REPORTING THESEDEATHS EXISTS. CONSISTING OF VERBAL REPORTS T o THE VARIOUS REGIMENTAL COMMANDERS. WHICH SUBSEQUENTLY CONTINUE THROUGH THE CHAIN O F COMMAND TO THE HILITARY JUNTA. HOWEVER, THESE FIGURES WILL NOT BE RECORDED AND THEREFORE, THERE WILL NEVER BE AN ACCURATE TALLY OF THE TOTAL DEATHS. ONLY THE JUNTA HEMBERS WILL HAVE A REALLY CLEAR IDEA OF THE CORRECT DEATH FIGURES. WHICH THEY WILL PROBABLY

RECORDED.

DEATH FIGURES FROM 2.000 TO 10.000. WHILE THE GOVERNMENT

PUBLICLY ADMITS TO 244 AS OF 23 SEPTEMBER.

THAT THE ARMED KORCES ARE QUIETLY CALLING UP ALL OF THE HILITARY CONSCRIPTS WHO SERVED THEIR 11 1 THE PURPOSEOF THIS ACTION IS



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TO'(A) RELIEVE THE ACTIVE-DUTY TROOPS WHO HAVE BEENON GRADE

ONE ALERT SINCE 10 SEPTEMBER AND (B) TO REINFORCE CURRENT FORCES

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